



## **Myosoton aquaticum**

### Giantchickweed

#### General

1. Perennial forb growing to 0.6m

#### Geography and Habitat

1. Native: Temperate Eurasia
2. Habitat
  - Marshes, fens, riparian zones, ditches, pastures, and swampy woodlands
  - Prefers loamy or silty soil
  - Capable of growing in water



<http://nas.er.usgs.gov/queries/FactSheet.aspx?SpeciesID=2743>

#### Invasion Pathways

1. Potentially ballast release or intentional release as an ornamental based on historical records

#### Sources

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